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SUBJECT: EXPORT CREDITS: DISCUSSION WITH JAPANESE
OFFICIALS ON US VIEWS ON A NEW INTERNATIONAL ARRANGEMENT

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1. MURRAY RYSS, DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF TRADE FINANCE,
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, AND STEPHEN GOODMAN,
VICE PRESIDENT, POLICY ANALYSIS, EXPORT-IMPORT BANK,
INVITED COME TO TOKYO TO DISCUSS US IDEAS ON A NEW INTER-
NATIONAL ARRANGEMENT.

2. JAPANESE EMBASSY (OZAKI, FINANCIAL COUNSELOR) IN
WASHINGTON HAS ADVISED THAT SUCH DISCUSSIONS COULD TAKE
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PLACE ON JULY 22 AND 23, 1977. WE HAVE ACCEPTED THOSE
DATES WITH PRESUMPTION THAT FURTHER DISCUSSIONS WITH
MITI/EID, IF NEEDED, WILL BE POSSIBLE ON JULY 25.

3. RYSS AND GOODMAN ANTICIPATE LEAVING WASHINGTON ON
WEDNESDAY, JULY 20 AND RETURNING AROUND JULY 26. WOULD
APPRECIATE EMBASSY RESERVING TWO SINGLE ROOMS FOR THAT
PERIOD. PLEASE CONFIRM.

4. ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE THROUGH MR. N. MAEDA,
DIRECTOR, EXPORT INSURANCE DIVISION, MITI. SINCE
JAPANESE OFFICIALS WILL NEED TO HAVE OPPORTUNITY CONSIDER
DETAILS OF US PROPOSAL, EMBASSY REQUESTED TRANSMIT
WORKING DOCUMENT CONTAINED REFTEL TO MR. MAEDA ALONG WITH
EMPHASIS SUGGESTED IN PARA 1.

5. IF ASKED, YOU CAN INDICATE THAT US ALSO DISCUSSING
PROPOSAL WITH OTHER KEY GOVERNMENTS IN PREPARATION FOR
NEGOTIATIONS IN THE FALL. VANCE

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